

Atty. Dkt. No. 081356-0168

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Applicant:

Yasunori CHIBA et al.

Title:

NOVEL YEAST MUTANTS AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING GLYCOPROTEIN CONTAINING MAMMALIAN TYPE SUGAR CHAIN

Appl. No.:

10/049,887

Appl. Filing Date:

09/20/2002

Examiner:

Yong D Pak

Art Unit:

1652

Confirmation

2894

Number:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. <u>Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114</u>: (check items that apply) 00000061 10049887 01 FC:1254 1590.00 OP

a. Previously submitted:

[] Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on ___.

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[]	Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on but not considered.
[]	Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on
[]	Other
b. En	closed are:
[X]	Amendment/Reply.
[]	Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
[]	Information Disclosure Statement.
[]	Form PTO/SB/08 with copies of listed reference(s).
[]	Other.

Miscellaneous:

[] Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of __ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present		Rate		Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):						\$790.00	=	\$790.00
Total Claims:	18	- ·	20	= 0	x	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independents	5	-	7	= 0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation o	of any	Multiple D	Dependent Claims:	+	\$360.00	=	\$0.00
				CLAIMS	FEI	E TOTAL:	=	\$790.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

\$0.00	0.00	\$	first month:	within th	filed	for response	Extension	[]
\$0.00	0.00	: \$4	second month	within th	filed	for response	Extension	[]
\$0.00	0.00	\$1,	third month:	within th	filed	for response	Extension	[]
\$1,590.00	0.00	\$1,	fourth month:	within th	filed	for response	Extension	[X]
\$0.00	0.00	\$2,	fifth month:	within th	filed	for response	Extension	[]
\$1,590.00	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:							
\$0.00	EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -							
\$1,590.00	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL							
\$2,380.00	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:							
\$0.00	[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):						[]	
\$0.00	[] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)							
\$2,380.00	TOTAL FEE:							

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$2,380.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date January 29, 2007

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